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Date: April 10, 2017

To: City of Avondale Youth Advisory Commission (AYAC)

From: Christopher Lopez, Youth Development Coordinator, Neighborhood and Family
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Subject: Meeting Notes – April 10, 2017

The AYAC regular meeting was held on April 10, 2017

The following members were in attendance:

Monica Luna
Narmeen Ghazawheh
Simone Foster
Michelle Dirzo
Erica Pacheco
Iris Palomino
Ricardo Gomez

The following staff members were in attendance:

Chris Lopez

The following guest(s) attended the meeting:

Litzy Hernandez

The following topics were discussed:

Welcome Guests

Approval of Minutes and Attendance – Approved

Fundraising Events- Members discussed opportunities to fundraise at local restaurants and have agreed to fundraise at Chipotle on 99th Avenue and McDowell Rd on Wednesday, May 15th. Simone and Narmeen volunteered to contact the restaurant to schedule the event. Simone & Narmeen also volunteered to contact Taco Bell to schedule a car wash for June 10th as a possible date.

Youth Leadership Day – Staff provided information about the upcoming Governors Youth Leadership Day and indicated that staff would not be available to provide transportation to this particular event.

Next STEP- Staff shared information regarding application deadlines for this year's Next STEP program. Deadline for applications is April 10th.

Global Youth Service Day – Staff provided information regarding the upcoming day of service and asked all AYAC member to attend the event scheduled for Saturday, April 22nd from 8:00AM – Noon at the Tres Rios Wetlands near PIR.

New Member Recruitment- AYAC members agreed to participate in a recruitment challenge. The challenge will be to recruit the most faithful members by June.

AYAC Officer Elections – Staff reminded AYAC members about the upcoming officer elections that will take place toward the end of June. Staff encouraged all AYAC member to consider running for an officer position.

New Business – No new business was discussed

The meeting adjourned at 6:37PM

Approved:



AYAC Chair or Designated Representative